

Amendments to the Specification:

The paragraph beginning at Page 1, lines 15-39, to be amended as follows:

Various methods, systems and apparatus relating to the present invention are disclosed in the following co-pending applications/granted patents filed by the applicant or assignee of the present invention ~~on 23 May 2000:~~

09/575,197,	09/575,195,	09/575,159,	09/575,132,
09/575,123,	09/575,148,	09/575,130,	09/575,165,
09/575,153,	09/575,118,	09/575,131,	09/575,116,
09/575,144,	09/575,139,	09/575,186,	6,681,045,
6,728,000	09/575,191,	09/575,145,	09/575,192,
	09/609,303,		
09/610,095,	09/609,596,	09/575,181,	09/575,193,
09/575,156,	09/575,183,	09/575,160,	09/575,150,
09/575,169,	6,644,642,	6,502,614,	6,622,999,
6,669,385,	6,549,935,	09/575,187,	09/575,155 6,727,996,
6,591,884,	6,439,706,	09/575,196 6,760,119,	09/575,198,
6,290,349,	6,428,155,	09/575,146,	09/608,920,
09/575,174,	09/575,163,	09/575,168 6,737,591,	09/575,154,
09/575,129,	09/575,124,	09/575,188,	09/575,189,
09/575,162,	09/575,172,	09/575,170,	09/575,171,
09/575,161,	10/291,716,	6,428,133,	6,526,658,
6,315,369,	6,338,548,	6,540,319,	6,328,431,
6,328,425,	09/575,127,	6,383,833,	6,464,332,
6,390,591,	09/575,152,	6,328,417,	6,409,323,
6,281,912,	6,604,810,	6,318,920,	6,488,422,
09/575,108,	09/575,109,	6,859,289 09/575,110	

The disclosures of these co-pending applications are incorporated herein by cross-reference.